



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (on behalf of the)
NEW YORK METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COUNCIL
PALISADES INTERSTATE PARK SHARED USE PATH FEASIBILITY STUDY
CONTRACT No. C004306

RFP Release Date: September 26, 2022

Question and Answer Pairs

October 14, 2022

Questions received during the Pre-Proposal Webinar

Canceled RFP for Contract No. C004305 'Palisades Interstate Park Shared Use Path'

Question 1 **Why was the RFP for Contract No. C004305 'Palisades Interstate Park Shared Use Path Feasibility Study' canceled?**

Answer 1 **NYMTC and NYSDOT rejected all proposals submitted in response to the RFP for Contract No. C004305 'Palisades Interstate Park Shared Use Path Feasibility Study' because it was in the best interest of the State. The action was taken per the State's right to accept or reject any or all Proposals.**

Question 2 **Can you highlight any differences between the RFPs for Contract No. C004305 'Palisades Interstate Park Shared Use Path Feasibility Study' and Contract No. C004306 'Palisades Interstate Park Shared Use Path Feasibility Study'.**

Answer 2 **As mentioned during the pre-proposal webinar, the RFP for Contract No. C004306 relaxes the terms and conditions for the staffing that must be included in submitted proposals. This is not intended to be a comprehensive summary of the differences between the canceled RFP for Contract No. C004305, including its modifications, and the RFP for Contract No. C004306, including any of its modifications.**

RFP Attachment # 15: Cost Proposal

Question 3 Can we add more rows to the ‘Attachment #15: Cost Proposal’ so that we may accommodate additional key personnel?

Answer 3 **No. The RFP requires proposers to enter a single fully-loaded billing rate, for each job title that is necessary to perform and deliver the scope of service, for the initial 24-month contract term. Proposers may name more than one staff person for each job title. The ‘Attachment 15 Cost Proposal’ has been functionally modified with regard to this question to allow proposers to change the height and width of cells within the Excel file so that all staff names indicated for each Job Title may be seen.**